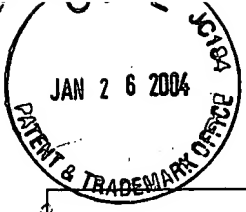


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TRANSMITTAL LETTER			Case No. 10546/42
Serial No. 09/788,335	Filing Date February 16, 2001	Examiner Allen C. Ho	Group Art Unit 2882
Inventor(s) David A. Jaffray et al.			
Title of Invention CONE BEAM COMPUTERIZED TOMOGRAPHY WITH A FLAT PANEL IMAGER			

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment (including 3 sheets of replacement drawings and 3 sheets of annotated drawings) and an article.

- ☒ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been established by verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☐ Petition for a _____ month extension of time.
- ☒ No additional fee is required.
- ☐ The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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Small Entity	
Rate	Add'l Fee
x \$9 =	
x 43 =	
+ \$145 =	
Total add'l fee	\$

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Rate	Add'l Fee
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Total add'l fee	\$

- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 (BRINKS HOFER GILSON & LIONE) in the amount of \$ _____. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the filing fee is enclosed.
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- ☒ I hereby petition under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) for any extension of time required to ensure that this paper is timely filed. Please charge any associated fees which have not otherwise been paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action mailed on October 23, 2003.

Accordingly, please cancel claims 24, 25, 36-63 and 81-93 without prejudice, add claims 103-128 and amend the drawings, the Specification and claims 1, 3-5, 7, 9, 18, 20, 23, 26, 32, 65, 66, 69-71, 74, 75, 77-80, 94, 96 and 97 as follows: